

Experience

The experience of the past which is usually a safe guide, shows that the most prosperous communities are those in which the people are thrifty and saving. These are the communities where the people own their homes, have accounts in the savings banks and practice the wise expenditure as well as the wise saving of money.

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CABOT

Mrs. Blanche Urban was called to Barre Saturday by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. Perley Glidden has gone to Derby Center to visit her parents.

J. T. Orne was a business visitor in Barre Saturday.

The next regular meeting of Morrill W. R. C. will be held Feb. 17. A good attendance is desired, as there will be special work. A public supper will be served by Morrill W. R. C. Monday evening, Feb. 21, from 6 to 8, after which exercises will be held in commemoration of the birthdays of Washington, Lincoln and McKinley. Everybody cordially invited.

Mrs. L. Cole burned one arm quite badly by falling with a teapot of hot tea, which was spilled.

Several ladies met at the home of Mrs. W. D. Barr and tied a tack to be sent to a school in Springfield, Mass.

J. T. Orne has been hired to run the Cabot Cooperative creamery another year at a salary of \$3,000.

Mr. Malmquist has purchased the Walter Lane house and will soon move there, where he will have a meat market.

Mrs. S. A. Nelson is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wales, formerly of this village, have gone to Richmond, Va. to spend the remainder of the winter.

The lecture at the M. E. church last Monday evening given by Professor Sawyer, drew a good house and was highly enjoyed. It is expected he will give another in the future.

Rev. Frank L. Stacy of Eden has accepted the call given him by the Congregational church and moved his family here, commencing his pastorate Sunday, Feb. 8.

At a meeting held in the schoolroom last Monday evening, it was voted to take \$250 from the Red Cross treasury towards finishing a room in the library. The secretary of the Judith Lyford Woman's club, in a separate letter to The Times acknowledges this action and extends the thanks of the club.

George Heath has purchased the house formerly owned by Mrs. Laura Stevenson and will move there about May 1.

The King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Mae Carr Wednesday, Feb. 16. All members are requested to be present and all who have sent in their names.

Miss Mildred Smith has returned to Barre, after spending several days at the home of her parents. She has a position in an office there.

Alvin Clark of Barre visited his brother, Aurelian, recently.

Selden Smith of Berkley, Cal., and daughter, Margaret, who is attending college, were guests of Cary and Elmy Smith recently.

A reception was held in the Congregational church Friday evening as a welcome to Rev. F. L. Stacy and family. About 60 were present. A short program was rendered, consisting of duets, solos and a recitation, followed by refreshments of cake and coffee.

Rev. E. L. Goddard made a welcoming remark, which was appropriately responded to by Mr. Stacy.

Leo Burbank and family are spending a few weeks at Charles Burbank's in Walden.

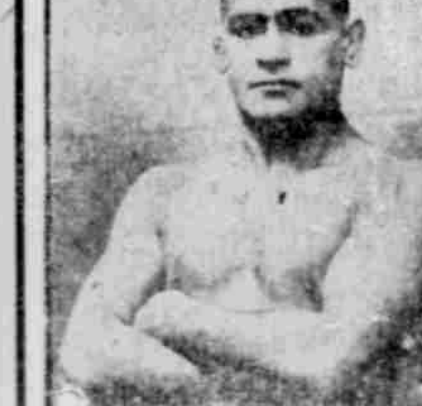
N. M. Wheeler has exchanged his farm on west hill with Charles Utley for the farm formerly owned by Walter Perry and will soon move there.

Elmer Goodale has been confined at home for several weeks by illness and does not improve to any extent.

Mrs. Warner Smith has returned to her home in Dorchester, Mass., after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. E. F. Smith.

Arthur Rogers of Marshfield was a business visitor in town Saturday.

E. J. Rutter, optometrist, will be at Mr. Barnett's Wednesday, Feb. 16, call and have your eyes examined—adv.



HARRY MAMMIS

Barre's Rough Rider, who has deposited \$30.00 with Promoters Daley and Meigs that he will wrestle clean against

HENRY YEELES

the Barre-Montpelier favorite, next

Wednesday Night

—at—

Montpelier Armory

STOWE

The members of the H. H. Smith Woman's Relief corps are preparing to give the drama, "The American Flag," about March 1, with the following cast: Judge Oliver, an American consul, Richard B. McMahon; Bob MacMillan, a young aviator, Healey J. B. Shaw; Commandant Bull, Dennis S. Kaiser; Carl Steinburg, Paul A. Raymond; Ignate, an honest Israeli, Kenneth Bull; Major Marvin, Harvey Knight; June Oliver, Miss Katherine Smalley; Dixie, a little patriot, Mrs. Mary Bailey; Rozka, a gipsy, Mrs. Morrie Raymond; Mrs. Ella Niles Jackson of Morrisville is in charge of the training. There will be attractive specialties between the acts and a soldiers' camp will add to the interest of the play. The proceeds of the play will be for the benefit of the "boiler" fund, which the corps is raising for the installation of a monument to the unknown dead among the American soldiers and sailors.

Gentlemen's night was carried out very successfully by the Lend-a-Hand Community club Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jarvis. There were 70 present. A program carried out included violin selections by Mrs. J. R. McKinley; vocal solos by Misses Alice Maclean and Arlie Wright; duet, Misses Asquith; reading by Mrs. Alice Morrill and Mrs. Lucy Scribner; recitations by Ralph and Donald Foster; a dialogue by Misses Foster and Denton; report of the secretary, Mrs. A. E. Ricketson, and remarks by Representative J. M. McKinley. An oyster supper was served. Receipts of the evening were \$8.

The next meeting of the club will be held Feb. 23 with Mrs. Ricketson.

The Moscow Busy Bee club met with Mrs. R. L. Moulton Friday afternoon, with 20 present. Sewing was done for Mrs. Moulton, Mrs. George Moulton and Mrs. A. E. Horner. The next meeting will be held March 3 with Mrs. H. F. Faunce.

W. F. Churchill of Morrisville was a business visitor in Stowe Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cobb of Johnson visited Mr. Cobb's mother, Mrs. Florence Cobb, Friday.

Miss Verna Stockman is in Northfield to attend the college festivities.

Mrs. Hollis Edson has returned from several weeks' visit in Morrisville.

"Born Dunces" Achieved Success and Fame.

Robert Clive started life with the sobriquet of "born dunces." His teachers pronounced him "impossible," and requested his parents to remove him from school. At 32 he could barely read or write. Yet Clive boasted that some day he would "show everybody."

He left home in rags and joined the army. During a critical engagement, and while severely wounded, he was called upon to command 3,000 men. Untrained and ridiculed by them, he fought those men forward by sheer grit, and succeeded in defeating 5,000 men at Plassey, thereby laying the foundation of the British empire in India.

England erected a statue to his memory in Trafalgar square.

Another "born dunces" was Carolus Linnaeus, the Swedish naturalist. Born in Rasht in Smaland, Sweden, what little chance he had in life as a boy he threw away. "Unhandy at everything; even unfit for the pulpit," later wrote his critics. Yet in the fields alone where he was commanded to work, he studied botany in a crude way, and seven years later was joyfully hailed as the greatest botanist of his age.—Detroit News.

Father's Preference.

"Don't you like to hear the wind whistling around the house, father?"

"I don't care about it particularly, daughter."

"O, pshaw!"

"But, as between hearing the wind whistle and that fat-headed young Duhon knocking his automobile home for you to come out, I'd infinitely prefer the wind."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Aired Opinions Too Soon.

It is on record that when Kipling was on one of his American tours he quarreled with his hotelkeeper. Just before leaving the hotel he wrote in the visitors' book:

"I just want to say that all the hotels under the shining sun I have never been in one that for unmitigated all-around, unendurable discomfort could equal yours."

A few minutes later the bill was presented. The final item read:

"To impudence, \$3."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

So There You Are.

A celebrated modiste writes: "Don't wear gray if you are past middle age." A still more celebrated milliner, Dame Nature, insists that you shall.—Boston Transcript.

Literally Construed.

Hub—I thought you were to be here at 2 o'clock. It's 4 now.

Wife—You said 2 o'clock and then you said, "I'll see you later."—Boston Transcript.

WELLS RIVER

Two Points Gives Woodsville High First Game in Series.

In the fastest game seen on the local floor this season Wells River high lost its first game to Woodsville by score of 19-17. The teams were most evenly matched and only the breaks of the game which Woodsville took advantage of gave her the edge at the finish. Wells River took the lead soon after the start but Woodsville, playing a plucky up hill fight, ended the first half with the score 9 all. One point was scored from foul in this period by each team. In the second period Wells River again took the lead and up till within the last few minutes of play led by two points. Two baskets in rapid succession gave the lead to the opposing team and had the game. The game was clean, fast and a great game to watch. Beattie played as only a Beattie can and earned the cheers of the crowd by his repeated good work. George for Woodsville also put up an excellent game in the first period until he was removed to enable them to play a stronger guard against Wilbur, who was doing the heavy work for the home boys. Morrison made some pretty baskets and played in excellent shape and the basket of Darling in the second period was the sensation of the game. One of the best crowd that ever witnessed a high school basketball game was present. School spirit ran high and coats and hats were flying through the air at the end of the game but they belonged to the visitors' supporters. Special mention should be made of songs and cheers of the local school which should have caused any team to bring home the victory.

Wells River Woodsville
Wilbur, rg. Eames
Darling, lg. Evans
Roberts, c. Beattie
Cameron, rf. M. George, Chandler
Morrison, lf. Stinson
Baskets, Wilbur 3, Darling, Cameron, Morrison 3, George, Beattie 5, Eames, Evans, referee, Carlson; time, Smith; scorer, Harvey. Attendance, 300.

Phil Van Dyke spent a portion of last week in Boston.

Elwin Cameron returned to his home in Newport, after a few weeks' visit with his father, Sidney Cameron.

Carroll, the five-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Heath, died Sunday morning after a sickness that had lasted for several months. A brief prayer was held Monday morning and the body was taken to Orleans for burial.

Mrs. E. W. Smith entertained at her home a few young ladies at a supper party last Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. Donald Fraser was one of the principal speakers at a bankers' meeting held at Barton last Tuesday evening. His subject was "The Price of Civilization."

The Woman's Relief corps and invited guests were entertained by Mrs. John George at a card party last Wednesday evening.

Schools in the village were closed last week Friday afternoon due to breaking of flues in the boiler. Repairs were made on Saturday and school opened on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seyward French were pleasantly entertained at the home of his scholars in South Ryegate on Saturday.

Several from here attended the winter carnival at Hanover on Saturday witnessing the finish of this yearly attraction.

PLAINFIELD

Mrs. W. H. Martin, chairman of the committee for Plainfield for the Year East relief, presented the call to the Woman's club, which met with Mrs. B. H. Perrin Feb. 1. A vote was taken to adopt an Armenian child for one year, \$5 per month. The Mothers' club has already forwarded \$15 for this cause and other small donations have been made. Reports from other local orders will be reported later. These donations will be applied to the Plainfield town quota.

There will be a public whist party at hotel hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 15. All are cordially invited.

Junior High School Notes.

The following pupils had no absent marks for the first term of school: Freda Goodridge, Elissa Moore, Elizabeth Page, Dorothy Wheeler, Joseph Bartlett, Kenneth and Roy Ruxton, Levi and Milford Fowler, Dean Hill, William and Harold Hudson, Rolfe Tuttle and Harold Wins.

The senior class has made its selection of a play entitled, "The Laughing Cure." Copies have been received and parts will be assigned in the near future. More about the play at a later date.

Through an oversight, mention of the recent tag day by the high school pupils was omitted. Sixty-one dollars were raised. Special mention should be made that Elizabeth Page collected over \$17 of this amount.

An effort is being made to change over and add to the pictures in the study hall. The children by donating four cents each, have purchased copies of Shakespeare's home, "Stratford-on-Avon," and "The Mill."

Week before last the assemblies were in charge of the sophomore class. At the first assembly, Mr. Hewitt read several poems from his volume, "Harp of the North." He also gave an interesting and instructive talk on the making up and printing of a large city newspaper.

Several pupils are absent from school and are quarantined for chicken-pox.

One of the most interesting assemblies of the year was given Friday, Feb. 11, when the freshmen presented a Lincoln's program. The numbers were as follows: "America," followed by the flag salute; sketches from the life of Lincoln, nine members of the class; sonnets—Elissa Moore, Winifred La Lime, Agnes Benedict, Fred Cree, Dorothy Wheeler, Roy Hill, Carrie Holt, Pauline Cutler, Dean Hill, Bernice Fitzgerald, Marion Bailey and Carl Bartlett; Lincoln quotations, the entire school; Gettysburg address, Harold Wells; "Star Spangled Banner."

Alma Cerutti, Edward Savoie, William Hudson and Harold Wells, representing the four classes, in a contest to recite the Gettysburg address at the Lincoln's day assembly. Miss Shorey of the primary room and Miss Rogers of the intermediate room acted as judges and chose Harold Wells. In connection with the contest, special mention is made of Edward Savoie.

Miss Gear of Burlington, assistant to Mr. Hutchison, state supervisor of junior and senior high schools, visited school Wednesday.

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WATERBURY

This week bids fair to be a busy one. To-morrow evening the entertainment given for the benefit of the Community hall at the Center will be attended by a large number from the village. Barges will leave at 7 o'clock. There will be a supper, a fine entertainment in which Mrs. Kathleen LeBaron Luce will delight the people of her home community, and music for the promenade will be furnished by Trombly, Clarke, Lock and Moss.

In the Duxbury town hall, under the auspices of the local farm and home bureau, there will be a public meeting to-morrow evening, at which the speakers will be M. P. Rasmussen, farm management demonstrator, state college, Burlington, who will discuss the keeping of farm accounts; Miss Mildred Boice, home demonstration agent, and County Agent R. A. Briggs, who also will be present. Meeting begins at 7:30.

Wednesday evening at village hall all will wish to hear Dr. C. W. Maney of Burlington, the district health officer. It is expected that the town will vote for medical inspection in the schools this year and Dr. Maney will present many features of the work.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hart, Wednesday, were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Louzell of South Duxbury.

Miss Jaquith and Miss Lizzie Stevens of Brattleboro were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hart last week and visited the legislature, Mrs. Hart accompanying them.

A neighborhood gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lamson on Ward hill was a very happy occasion and showed to the Lamsons the appreciation the people feel in having them for neighbors. A pleasant evening was passed.

Last Thursday evening came the banquet of the board of trade, when the ex-servicemen were guests of honor. The banquet was arranged by Emerald Rebekah lodge, No. 33, and was up to the standard for which the ladies in that lodge are reported famous. Decorations were in charge of Mrs. H. D. Hopkins and were in her usual good taste. C. C. Graves acted as toastmaster and to say that he was in his usual vein of humor, as well as showing a deep interest in the occasion, was all that need be said to know that the speakers were properly introduced. The first speaker, Rev. Fraser Metzger, whose subject was said to be "Co-ordination," created much

amusement by his timely subject. He gave a strong address, however, on working together, and anyone who has heard Mr. Metzger knows there was no time to lose interest during his remarks. Mr. Sullivan of the state American Legion spoke of the Legion and its work and the lack of adequate hospital treatment by the government.

H. T. Johnson, the adjutant general of Vermont, spoke of the great value the members of the National Guard were in augmenting the regular army and expressed his hope that Waterbury would have a National Guard. A five-piece orchestra, under the direction of Earl Twombly, added much to the pleasure of the evening.

At the town hall in Duxbury, Friday evening, "The Farmette" was given by the Center people, under the auspices of Dillingham grange. The hall was packed and the entertainment was greatly enjoyed. Packed full of fun and yet with a good moral, all who heard will speak a good word for those who came. Music by Dr. E. J. Foster supplemented the work of the actors. Refreshments were served and a promenade was held.

Two hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty cents was the amount of the check sent Guy Bailey for the Vermont Children's Aid society as a result of the drive which had been carried on by the Hyattsville and Florian clubs. Besides individual offerings, group sums were given by the following: Mrs. Gale's piano pupils, Mrs. Sterling's benefit dance, Dorcas society, South Duxbury, Dillingham grange at Center, Macabees, Emerald Rebekah lodge, Mentor lodge, ladies' union and ladies' aid. This and the large amount given for the Eldred girl, under the state board of probations and charities, make the work of these two organizations come very near home. Those who have heard Mr. Jeffrey and Miss Webster feel that their work is each very big and demands much of the finances of the community. Waterbury people will be interested in knowing that Miss Lena Ross, deputy probation officer for the state board of charities and probation, has placed little Alberta with Mrs. Nellie Newton of North Clarendon, with whom she will board for the present. Of her the Rutland Herald said: "This little girl was injured some time ago, when a moving ma-

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chine practically crippled her for life, both limbs being partially cut off. Alberta is so much improved physically that she will be able to be sent to Boston within a few weeks, when, it is expected, she will have to undergo three operations. The amputation of both limbs as the first operation was only an emergency operation, tying up the arteries, as the child was in such a weakened condition on account of loss of blood it would have been impossible to perform a final operation.

Friday evening basketball is at 7 o'clock and the concert by the "Norwich Glee club at 8:30.

Disrespectful.

Finnegan (to his spouse)—Shure the childer these days have no manners at all, at all. Phwat do yer think that young omadhaun next door said to me this mornin'?

"Mr. Finnegan," he sez, "git yer picture took an' I'll send wan of 'em to me tacher for a valentine."—Boston Transcript.

Had Him There.

He—This magazine says that a woman should make herself as attractive to her husband after marriage as she did before.

She—Ha! My father always gave me plenty of money to make myself attractive with. You don't—Boston Transcript.

Flip-Flopping Flappers.

"The weather man on Monday put the 'gal' in 'galoshes,'" humorously remarks an exchange. Well, why the dickens didn't he buckle them up for her?—Boston Transcript.

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